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VAN ANTWERP, BRAGG & Co. have just ready "Eclectic Physical Geography," containing 30 charts and 151 cuts and diagrams.

DODD, MEAD & Co. will publish, the first week in September, "Miss Lou," by the late E. P. Roe. It will be issued in cloth, uniform with this author's other works.

- T. Y. CROWELL & Co. have just ready their new illustrated edition of Hugo's "Nôtre-Dame," translated by Miss Isabel F. Hapgood, printed and bound in uniform style with their edition of "Les Misérables" published last season.
- G. S. Fellows & Co., 25 Bond St., New York, have just ready a volume entitled "Protection Echoes from the Capitol," by T. H. McKee, assistant librarian U. S. Senate. The volume will contain the salient points of the recent tariff debate, also the present tariff and Mills bill in parallel columns.
- G. P. PUTNAM'S SONS will publish immediately an édition de luxe of "The President's Message." printed in large type, small quarto, with sixteen full-page moral and graphic illustrations from original designs by Thomas Nast; also the Ques-

tions of the Day edition of the same, with annotations by R. R. Bowker, which has been delayed for some important additional material.

CUPPLES, UPHAM & Co. will publish shortly a new book by W. H. H. (Adirondack) Murray. It will be especially adapted for the holiday trade, and will be descriptive of the Northwestern side of the American continent, a region of country little known to the average reader. The illustrations will be from sketches by Mr. J. D. Woodward, which have been carefully supervised by Mr. J. B. Millet.

Funk & Wagnalls have just issued in pamphlet form "The Presidential Campaign of 1896—a scrap-book of chronicle," by the author of "The Battle of Bietigheim." The scene is laid in America, where the forces of modern civilization and the communistic, anarchical, and socialistic elements of modern evolutions and revolutions meet in deadly combat. The occasion is the Presidential campaign of 1896, when the combined forces of Socialism, Anarchy, and Atheism meet their Waterloo at the hands of an aroused, living, active American Patriotism. It has in it the earnest fire of a prophecy.

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NOTES ON AUTHORS.

GENERAL GRANT is said to have left in manuscript a large number of humorous anecdotes drawn from his experiences in the army. These are soon to be published, probably by C. L. Webster & Co.

WM. HENRY HURLBERT has just published in Edinburgh a book entitled "Ireland Under Coercion—the diary of an American," which is reviewed by the London Times to the extent of five columns. Mr. Hurlbert concludes that landlords are good and alone deserving of sympathy, and that the Nationalist peasants are vicious, dishonest, and, as a rule, much too leniently treated.

SIR MORELL MACKENZIE is at work on his reply to the recently published attack upon him by the German physicians. His answer will be shortly published in book-form simultaneously in England and Germany. Messrs. Sampson Low, Marston & Co. will be the English publishers. A considerable portion of it will be in the nature of personal anecdote by Sir Morell Mackenzie respecting his illustrious patient the late Emperor Frederick.

WEEKLY RECORD OF NEW PUBLICATIONS.*

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*Abbott, Austin. New cases selected chiefly from decisions of the courts of New York. V. 20. N. Y., Diossy & Co., 1888. c. 540 p. O. shp., \$5.

Alden, Mrs. Is. M., ["Pansy," pseud.] Judge Burnham's daughters. Bost., D. Lothrop Co.,

[1888.] c. 5+339 p. 1 il. D. cl., \$1.50.
Those who read "Ruth Erskine's crosses" will be glad to meet its principal character once more in her new character of wife and mother. Judge Burnham, Ruth's husband, was a man of wealth and high social position. He was strongly opposed to Ruth's being actively connected with religious or temperance movements, and this fact sometimes brought them dangerously near serious misunderstanding. Another source ously near serious misunderstanding. Another source of trouble were Ruth's step-daughters, gay young things, who rebelled against her authority. Her married life hence was not a happy one—but a long siege of sorrow softens all parties and brings about a better cendition of things. condition of things.

Bancroft, Hubert Howe. History of the Pacific States of North America, v. 30. California inter pocula: a review of some classical abnormities. San Francisco, The History Co., 1888. c. 6+828 p. O. cl., \$4.50; leath., \$5.50; hf. cf., hf. rus., or hf. mor., \$8; rus., mor., or

tree cf., \$10.
"Much has been written of the California Inferno of 1848 and the years immediately following, much that is neither fact nor fable. Great and gaudy pictures have been painted, but few of them bear much resemblance to nature. No attempt is made in these pages to to nature. . . . No attempt is made in these pages to outdo my predecessors in morbid intensifications of the certain phases of society and character engendered of the times. They contain simple sketches and plain descriptions, historical rather than fantastical, with no effort toward effect."—Preface. A full index is added to

Besant, Walter. Fifty years ago. N. Y., Harper, 1888. 12+268 p. il. O. cl., \$2.50. With numerous portraits and illustrations from familiar sources, and a gossipy, clever text, Mr. Besant pictures the life, manners, and society of London as it was when Queen Victoria ascended the throne. The material, compiled from many sources, but put into a popular, attractive form, is grouped under the following headings: Great Britain, Ireland, and the Colonies; The year 1837; London in 1837; In the street; With the people: With the middle class; In society; At the play and the show; In the house; At school and university; The tavern: In club- and card-land; With the wits; Journals and journalists; The sportsman; In factory and mine; With the men of science; Law and justice.

*Billings, J: D. Hard tack and coffee; or, the unwritten story of army life; il. by C: W. Reed. Chic., People's Pub. Co., Lakeside Building, 1888. c. 400 p. O. cl., subs., \$2.75.

Booth, Mrs. Otto, ["Rita," pseud.] A sinless secret and other stories. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1888.] 137 p. D. (Lovell's lib., no. 1179.) pap., 20 c.

Braddon, Miss M. E., [now Mrs. J: Maxwell.] The fatal three. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1888.] 379 p. D. (Lovell's lib., no. 1184.) pap., 20 c.

Brewer, Dan. Chauncey. Madeleine: a poem in fragments. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1888. c. 8+137 p. D. cl., \$1.25. "Madeleine" covers twenty-four pages. It is a heart

history told in verse. Under the headings, "The coming of the bride and other verses," "Atlantis and vers de société," "Bits from the German," and "By-path gleanings," are grouped a number of graceful original poems and excellent translations.

*Brewster, F. Carroll. A treatise on practice in the Pennsylvania courts. Part first, revised, and part second. Phil., T. & J. W. Johnson & Co., 1888. c. 11+165 p. O. pap.

Brown, Everit, and Strauss, Albert. A diction-

ary of American politics. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1888. c. 3-556 p. D. cl., \$1; pap., 50 c. Comprises accounts of political parties, measures, and men; explanations of the constitution; divisions and practical workings of the government, together with political phrases, familiar names of persons and places, noteworthy savings, etc. Arranged in alphabatical. noteworthy sayings, etc., etc. Arranged in alphabetical order.

*Burney, S. G. Atonement and law reviewed: soteriology, the sacrificial in contrast with the penal, substitutionary, and merely moral or exemplary themes of atonement. Nashville, Tenn., Bd. of Pub. Cumberland Presb. Ch., 331 Church St., 1888. c. 239 p. O. cl., \$1.25.

Calhoun, Alfred R. Lost in the cañon: the story of Sam. Willett's adventures on the Great Colorado of the west. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1888. c. 267 p. il. D. (Boys' home lib., v. I, no. 12.) pap., 25 c.

Cameron, Mrs. H. Lovett. A dead past. N.Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1888.] 324 p. D. (Lovell's lib., no. 1194.) pap., 20 c.

Centennial (The) of a revolution: an address by a revolutionist. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1888. c. 2+171 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

An address in commemoration of the adoption of the constitution of the United States, delivered on the centennial anniversary.

*Clarke, R: H. Lives of the deceased bishops of the Catholic church in the United States. N. Y., R: H. Clarke, 51 Chambers St., 1888. c. 3 v. O. cl., net, \$7.50.

Clarke, W: Harrison. Civil service law. N. Y., L. K. Strouse, 1888. c. 16+200 p. D. cl., \$1. The civil service law was passed January 16, 1883. The chief object of the book is to defend the principles of the law. It is not a criticism of the law, nor does it treat to any great extent of civil service economy, except in so far as the subject is expounded incidentally by many American statesmen, whose works are free-ly quoted and give value to the book. The book is dedicated to the National Civil Service Reform League.

Crane, Rev. Stephen. Jesus the Christ. Universalist Pub. House, 1888. c. 96 p. S. (Manuals of faith and duty, no. 2.) cl., net, 25 c. (Manuals of faith and duty, no. 2.) cl., net, 25 c. These little volumes of expositions of prominent doctrines of the Universalist church offer but little space for argument. The author merely asserts his beliefs, and does not stop to argue those of others from whom he differs. He endeavors to unfold the doctrine of Christ as it appears in his life and teachings, and tries to go at once to the heart of the matter and grasp the real significance of "The Son of God" and "The Son of Man," and ascertain what he really was in his relation to both God and man. What Christ was in the world, in the life of humanity, is to him the thing of transcendent importance, and not what he was before he

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came into this world, "whether a realized consciousness or a divine idea

- *Crocker, H. Radcliffe, M.D. Treatise on diseases of the skin, giving the description, pathology, diagnosis, and treatment. Phil., P. Blakiston, Son & Co., 1888. 780 p. il. O. cl., \$5.50.
- *Cutter, Ephraim, M.D. Partial syllabic lists of the clinical morphologies of the blood, sputum, fæces, skin, urine, vomitus, foods, including potable waters, ice and the air, and the clothing (after Salisbury). N. Y., published by the author, 1888. 18+81 p. D. cl., \$1.
- The science of utterance; designed Dean, C. for supplementary instruction in the reading classes of public and private schools. 4th ed., rev. with the assistance of Jos. Estabrook. Chic., J: C. Buckbee & Co., 1888. c. '81-'88. 116+8 p. D. cl., 50 c.
- *Denison, Mary A. The daughter of the regiment. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1888. D. (Manhattan ser., v. 1, no. 3.) pap., 25 c.
- *Douglas, Amanda M. The midnight marriage. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1888. D. (Manhattan ser., v. 1, no. 1.) pap., 25 c.
- Du Boisgobey, Fortuné. A fight for a fortune. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1888.] 191 p. D. (Lovell's lib., no. 1171.) pap., 20 c.
- *Dubbs, Jos. H: Home ballads and metrical versions. Phil., C: G. Fisher, Reformed Ch. Pub. House, 907 Arch St., 1888. c. 140 p.
- *Foster, Mrs. M. O. Rana; or, happy days. Phil., Am. Baptist Pub. Soc., 1888. c. 251 p. D. cl., \$1.
- Galton, Arthur, ed. English prose from Maundevile to Thackeray. N.Y., T: Whittaker, 1888. 17+333 p. D. (The Camelot ser.) cl.,

40 c. Selections from the celebrated works of the period mentioned in title.

Gosse, Edmund. Life of William Congreve. N. Y., T: Whittaker, 1888. 4-192+9 p. D.

(Great writers ser.) cl., 40 c. This is the first time that any attempt has been made to write a detailed biography of Congreve.

The story of this book is compiled from materials scat-The story of this book is compiled from materials scattered over a great many volumes, not all of which are to be found in any single library. Among the most obvious sources of information I may mention Cibber, Giles Jacob, Malone's Dryden, Spence's Anecdotes, Swift's correspondence, George-Monck Berkeley's curious and valuable volume, Luttrel's Diary, and the newspapers of the day."—Author's prefatory note. The bibliography by J: P. Anderson, covering nine pages, is a valuable feature.

Valentine G. Lawn tennis in America. N. Y., Outing Co., 239 5th Ave., 1888. c. 8+194 p. il. D. (Outing lib. of sports, no. 1.)

pap., 50 c.
Gives a record of the tennis tournaments since 1884; biographical sketches, with portraits, of the leading players; the renshaws and the game of tennis as played abroad, with account of the championship matches; directions and rules, etc.

- *Harris, Vincent D., M.D. The diseases of the chest, including the principal affections of the pleuræ, lungs, pericardium, heart, and aorta. Phil., P. Blakiston, Son & Co., 1888. 470 p. il. S. cl., \$2.50.
- *Hedrick, Mrs. Mary A. Incidents of the civil war. Lowell, Mass., G: Hedrick, 36 Central St., 1888. c. 179 p. il. Q. cl., \$2.
- Holder, C: F: A strange company; wonderwings, mullingongs, colossi, etc.; il. by J.

Carter Beard. Bost., D. Lothrop Co., [1888.]

Carter Beard. Bost., D. Lothrop Co., [1888.]
c. 324 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

No American naturalist of late years has written more comprehensively or entertainingly than Dr. Holder. In the present volume, prepared for young readers, he describes some of the more remarkable specimens of animal life and their peculiarities. Many of the facts he cites will be new to older readers. In a chapter devoted to the speech of animals, we are told how some of the noises made by insects are produced, undoubtedly for purposes of communication, and how birds, fishes, and animals convey intelligence one to another. In another chapter the sports and games of animals are dealt with. Other chapters are upon "Wonderful flyers," "Homes underground," "How animals protect themselves," "Giants," and "Feathered giants."

Hopkins, Selden R. A young prince of commerce: a penniless boy's fortune. Bost., D. Lothrop Co., 1888. c. 252 p. 1 il. D. cl., \$1.25.

Besides a pleasant story which all boys will enjoy, Mr. Hopkins offers a fund of information on business matters, cleverly sandwiched in between the incidents, which gives a clear understanding of the principles of trade. When the boy closes the book he knows the character of mortgages, notes, drafts, stocks, and bonds; the theory of banking, discount, exchange, and collateral; he learns all about the mysteries of Wall Street and how the brokerage business is conducted; in fine, he gets a stellar tunderstanding of the way business is conan excellent understanding of the way business is carried on in general.

*Illinois. Appellate courts. Reports of cases. V. 23, June-Nov., 1887; rep. by Edwin Burritt Smith. Chic., Callaghan & Co., 1888. c. 2+9-699 p. O. shp., \$3.50.

- *Illinois. Supreme court. Reports of cases; N. L. Freeman, rep. V. 121, May, 1886-Sept., 1887. Springfield, [N. L. Freeman,] 1888. c. 769 p. O. shp., \$2.25.
- Johnson, S: Lives of the English poets: Addison, Savage, Swift. N. Y., Cassell & Co., [1888.] 192 p. T. (Cassell's national lib., v. 3, no. 133.) pap., 10 c.
- *Jones, Leonard A. A treatise on the law of liens, common law, statutory, equitable, and maritime. Bost. and N. Y., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1888. c. 2 v., 15+727 p.; 6+ 725 p. O. shp., \$13.
- *Kansas. Supreme court. Reports of cases; A. M. F. Randolph, rep. V. 38, cont. cases decided, July term, 1887, and Jan. term, 1888. Topeka, C. C. Baker, St. Pr., 1888. c. 10+ 576 p. O. shp., \$3.50.

King, C: A war-time wooing: a story. Harper, 1888. c. 4+195 p. il. D. cl., \$1.

Based upon an incident common enough during the late war. A young girl, a member of a "Soldiers' Aid Society," places her name and address in a "Havelock" she has just made and is sending out for the soldiers' use. The result is a correspondence and an exchange of photographs, the young girl's heart becoming warmly interested in her unknown correspondent. The story is redeemed from the commonlace through the fact is redeemed from the commonplace through the fact that a young officer's name and picture have been used in the affair by a jeafous rival to weaken his influence with a woman they both love. The young girl, Bessie Warren, who has been made the victim of this plot, is almost broken-hearted when it is revealed to her. The story ends well, however, and the villain is unmarked. story ends well, however, and the villain is unmasked and punished. Zogbaum illustrates the story with a number of full-page pictures of unusual merit.

- La Motte Fouqué, F: H: K: (Freiherr) de. Undine: a romance; (also,) Sintram and his companions; il. by Heywood Sumner. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, [1888.] 5+384 p. T. (Knickerbocker nuggets.) cl., \$1.
- *Lindley, Sir Nathaniel. A treatise on the law of partnership. From the 5th Eng. ed., with Am. notes by C: Y. Audenried. Phil., The Blackstone Pub. Co., 1888. c. V. I, 371 p. O. (Text-book ser., v. 2, no. 20.) pap., subs.,

Macaulay, T: B., (Lord.) Lays of ancient Rome; ed. with notes by W: J. Rolfe and J: C. Rolfe. N. Y., Harper, 1888. c. ed. 3-199 p. il. sq.

S. (English classics.) cl., 56 c.; pap., 40 c.
As presented, with Mr. Rolfe's copious notes, these
well-known lays are especially adapted for that parallel
reading in English which should, in the editor's opinion,
accompany the study of Latin in our high schools and
academies. There is an introduction, embracing the
author's preface and critical comments on the lays.

Macdonald, G: The elect lady. N. Y., Ap-

pleton, 1888. 4+345 p. 1 il. D. (Appleton's town and country lib., no. 11.) pap., 50 c.

A simple story of simple Scotch people, with a strong religious element pervading it Two brothers, Andrew and Sandy, and a young girl, "Dawtie," by their simple faith and pure lives have a great influence on all they come in contact with. "Dawtie" is a servant in the laird's house, and discovers that he has in his pressertion a most value, and discovers that he has in his possession a most valuand discovers that he has in his possession a most valuable chalice, the work of Benvenuto Cellini, which she is clever enough to find out he has obtained from a party who knew it was stolen from a famous collection. "Dawtie" works on the laird's conscience to return the cup to the original owner, and suffers for her zeal. The laird's daughter "Alexa" is "the elect lady." Her overweening self-esteem is well illustrated by her experience.

*Manier, W. H. Law of eminent domain, and of railroads and warehouses, comprising the constitutional and statutory provisions of Illinois, together with the decisions relating Springfield, D. W. Lusk, 1888. c. thereto. 6+467 p. O. shp., \$4.

Montague, C: Howard. The face of Rosenfel: a novel. N. Y., A. L. Burt, [1888.] c. 3-248 p. D. (The Manhattan ser., v. 1, no. 6.)

pap., 25 c. By the author of "Two strokes of the bell." attempt to obtain a large fortune by the abduction of the real heiress and the substitution of an impostor is the central feature of the novel. Some interesting medical theories are aired about mental troubles and what the author calls "visualization," a good deal of sensational incident introduced, and the usual amount of love and love making of love and love-making.

Morley, H: English writers: an attempt towards a history of English literature. V. 3. N. Y., Cassell & Co., 1888. 13+424 p. D. cl., \$1.50. Covers the period from the Conquest to Chaucer. Many extracts. Bibliography. Index.

*Morrow, Prince A., M.D. Atlas of venereal and skin diseases. Pts. 1, 6, and 8. N. Y., W: Wood & Co., 1888. subs., ea. pt., \$2.

*Mother Goose's campaign melodies. Campaign Pub. Co., 707 Filbert St., [1888.] c. 24 p. il. T. pap., 10 c.

Mulford, Prentice. Your forces and how to use them. V. I and 2. N. Y., F. J. Medham, 1 Park Pl., 1888. c. 160; 182 p. D. (White Cross lib.) cl., ea., \$2.

Consisting of numbers issued in the White Cross Library from May, 1886, to May, 1888.

*New York. Annotated code of criminal procedure and penal code, as amended 1882-8. 7th ed., rev. and enl. to June 1, 1888, ed. by G: R. Donnan. Alb., H. B. Parsons, 1888. c. 11+510+5+301+52+66 p. O. shp., \$5.

*New York. The code of civil procedure, with notes by Montgomery H. Throop, cont. all the amendments to and incl. 1888. Alb., Weed, Parsons & Co., 1888. c. 23+656+ 4+1114 p. O. shp., \$6.

*New York. The general statutes for 1888, passed at the 111th session of the legislature. Alb., Weed, Parsons & Co., 1888. c. 48+

278 p. O. shp., \$2.
*New York. Court of appeals, Reports of cases. V. 102, March 23-July 27, 1886; by H: G. Danforth tempore H. E. Sickels, St. rep. Alb, and N. Y., Banks & Bros., 1888. c. 815 p. O. shp., \$1.50.

*New York. Court of appeals. Reports of cases. V. 103, Oct. 5-Dec. 17, 1886; by H: G. Danforth tempore H. E. Sickels, St. rep. Alb. and N. Y., Banks & Bros., 1888. c. 760 p. O. shp., \$1.50.

*Nicholas, Griffith. When Peggy smiled: a love story. Chic., A: J. Palmer & Co., 159 Washington St., 1888. S. pap., 30 c.

Our young folks at home. Bost., D. Lothrop Co., [1888.] c. 200 p. il. O. bds., \$1.

Payn, Ja. The eavesdropper: an unparalleled experience. N. Y., Harper, 1888. 2+119 p. D. (Harper's Franklin sq. lib., new ser., no. 626.) pap., 25 c.

Illustrates the adage that "listeners never hear any good of themselves." Among other things that Ned Browne inherits from an eccentric uncle is a blue jar full of a black paste which turns out to be fern-seed. Directions accompany it saying if one eats a portion of it he becomes invisible. The antidote to the dose is a lump of sugar. Ned Browne experiments with the fern-seed, and assists invisibly at a consultation of his doctors, visits his club and his sweetheart in the same way, and hears some unwelcome truths.

*Philadelphia reports; cont. decisions pub. in the Legal Intelligencer during 1884 and 1885; comp. by H: C. Brown. V. 17. Phil., J. M. P. Wallace, 1888. c. 8+713 p. O. shp., \$4.50.

*Potter, S: O. L., M.D. Compend of materia medica, therapeutics, and prescription writing. 5th ed., rewritten and enl. Phil., P. Blakiston, Son & Co., 1888. 248 p. D. (Quiz-compend ser., no. 6.) cl., \$1; interleaved, \$1.25.

Princess Daphne (The): a novel. Chic. and N. Y., Belford, Clarke & Co., 1888. c. 5-

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Mesmerism plays a large part in this novel. The characters are taken mostly from "Bohemia," and are not notable for their high moral qualities. The "Princess Daphne" is a Creole and an artist of some reputation, her story being mostly evolved in London. She has a leaver Frie Transfer who is an important factor in her lover, Eric Trevanion, who is an important factor in her life. Paul du Peyral, who obtains a fortune through her refusal to marry him, experiments with mesmerism through a woman he loves upon the "Princess," and thus obtains her secrets. The reader is asked to believe thus obtains her secrets. The reader is asked to believe that he is her "double," and that his soul enters her body on his death, working a complete mental transformation in her.

Ragozin, Zénaïde A. The story of Media, Bab-ylon, and Persia; including a study of the Zend-Avesta or religion of Zoroaster, from the fall of Nineveh to the Persian war. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1888. c. 18+447 p. il. and map, D. (Story of the nations ser.) cl., \$1.50.

Continues the narratives the author begun in "The story of Chaldea" and "The story of Assyria." Almost half the book is devoted to the ancient religion of the Parsees and an account of the sacred books of that sect. The narrative portion of the book begins with "The last days of Judah," followed by a series of chapters on Media and the rise of Persia, and the Persian war. Bibliography.

*Ravogli, A., M.D. The hygiene of the skin; or, the art of preventing skin diseases. Cin., The hygiene of the skin; Central Medical Pub. Co., 1888. 12+13-399 p. O. cl., \$3.

*Roberts, F: T., M.D. Theory and practice of medicine. 7th ed., rev. throughout, and with additions which bring it up to the latest date of knowledge and practice. Phil., P. Blakiston, Son & Co., 1888. 1060 p. O. cl., \$5.50; shp., \$6.50.

*Sanderson, Rev. J., ed. The bow in the clouds; or, words of comfort for those in sickness, sorrow, or the varied afflictions of life. N. Y., E. B. Treat, 1888. c. 87. 450 p. sq. D. cl. \$1.75.

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*Sheldon, Mrs. Georgie. Trixy; or, the shadow of a crime. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1888. D. (Manhattan ser., v. 1, no. 4.) pap., 25 c.

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*Sutherland, W. J. K. K., the complete code for the use of agents, bankers, brokers, shippers, etc., and the telegraphic public generally. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., 1888. subs., net, \$15.

*Tennyson, Alfred, (Lord.) Idyls of the king; il. with 31 photogravures (india proof impressions) from original designs by Alfred Kappes. N. Y., Pollard & Moss, 42 Park Pl., 1888. c. 424 p. F. ant. leath., \$50.

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*Ward, Mrs. Humphrey. Robert Elsmere. N.Y. and Chic., Belford, Clarke & Co., 1888. D. cl., \$1.25.

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"Every man is a debtor to his profession, from the which, as men do of course seek to receive countenance and profit, so ought they of duty to endeavor themselves by way of amends to be a help thereunto."—LORD BACON.

WE have had several letters questioning the accuracy of some of the statements contained in the article, "Books on the Instalment Plan," reprinted in our last issue from the St. Paul Pioneer Press. We see no reason for questioning anything contained in that sketch, excepting perhaps the assertion that "comparatively nobody knows anything about it." We believe that P. F. Collier, who owns the immense establishment at the corner of Attorney and Rivington Streets, New York, is well known to every one in the book-trade and tolerably so to the residents of most important towns all over the country. Indeed, this publisher's career and modus operandi may be worthy the study of those hopeless merchants who content themselves with sitting around waiting for customers and by grumbling at the poor business in consequence. Business is first, last, and all the time just what you make it. If customers don't come to you, get up and go to In nearly every case it will not be necessary to do this in person, but the mails will suffice. Though we have known cases where enterprising booksellers, knowing they had a good thing and also informed as to who would be likely to want it—and there's the meat in the egg, the knowing who wants what you have got to sell-have gone from door to door, so to speak, and have realized a year's rent by the operation. Our readers are all acquainted with the little fable of the mountain and Mahomet. We imagine that in his younger days the Attorney Street publisher very likely used to sit around waiting for the mountain to "hump" itself. But finding that it is never taken just that way, he was inspired to go

to the mountain. And the success of that move has been stupendous. Whether his three million (more or less) customers are all benefited intellectually by the process, whether they read or are able to read—that is a question we would not like to be called upon to answer. "You can carry a horse to water," but—etc.

PAPER TESTING IN GERMANY.

Condensed from the Export Journal.

More or less, of course, everybody tests paper. No one buys paper without ascertaining, as well as he can, whether it will answer his purpose. And an expert can, by simple tests and the aid of his experience, give a very sound judgment as to the quality of any given specimen of paper. But his judgment is not controllable by any definite standard; still less does it admit of a precise comparison of different sorts of paper. Besides, all paper-buyers are not experts, a fact which is particularly true of public bodies who are, nevertheless, large consumers of paper. A perception of this fact led the Prussian Government in 1885 to add a paper-testing department to the Technical Experimental Station already existing in Charlottenburg. The basis of scientific paper-testing had, indeed, been already laid by the work done by Dr. Hartig in the Polytechnicum at Dresden, and by Dr. Hoyer in the Technical High School in München. Prussia, however, was the first State to erect an official testing establishment. The example has been followed by Vienna; and other towns, Copenhagen, Stockholm, Stuttgart, etc., are contemplating a similar step. A private testing institution is also presided over by Dr. Winckler in Leipzig, and I may here take the opportunity of thanking this gentleman for the courtesy with which he placed at my disposal the necessary material for this article.

The first matter of importance in connection with testing is the fixing of the standards. Those adopted by the Prussian Government and gener-

ally recognized, are as follows:

A. MATERIAL.

Class I. Paper exclusively of rags, with not more than 2 per cent. ash.

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Class.	1	2	3	4	5	6	Standard resistance to crumpl'g
Average tear- ing length in meters at least Averaging stretching in percent- ages of the original	6,000	5,000	4,000	3,000	2,000		2, little 3, moderate 4, fair 5, great
length, at	4.5	4	3	2.5	2	1.5	6, very " 1, extreme- ly great.
Resistance to crumpling.	6	6:	5	4	3	1	iy great.

All paper must also be well sized and without free acid.

A paper whose qualities do not all fall in the same vertical column of the above table is estimated according to the lowest class in which any one of its qualities fails. It is desirable, but not imperative, that a paper should show the degree of resistance to crumbling shown under each class.

The uses to which papers of the various classes

are adapted are shown in table C.

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preservation:		**
a. Report, Letter-Paper, etc.	3	11
b. Draught Paper	4	11
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served only a few years:		III
a. Report and Letter-Paper	3	III
b. Draught Paper	4	111
5. Envelopes, Packing Paper, etc.: a. First-class		11
b. Second-class	3 5	III
6. Summonses, Memoranda, and similar Formulas which are only	5	111
required for temporary use	any	IV

From the above tables it appears that the principal tests of paper will be: as regards material, its freedom from wood, its percentage of ash, the presence of grass, straw, etc.; as regards manufacture, its toughness (including thickness, stretching quality, resistance to ill-treatment), its sizing and its surface. I go on to describe these methods in detail.

For the detection of woody fibre the usual reagents are:

- a) Phloroglucine, dissolved in Alcohol with some drops of Hydrochloric acid, which colors woody fibre red, leaving cellulose uncolored.
- b) Aniline sulphate, which colors wood yel-

Both reagents are simple in application and effective in their results.

JEWISH PUBLICATION SOCIETY.

WE learn from the Philadelphia Press that the Executive Committee of the American Jewish Publication Society met on the 19th inst. toward accomplishing a thorough organization at the Mer-cantile Club. Fifteen votes were cast for membership on the Publication Committee, some voting by mail. Those elected were: Mayer Sulzberger, Rev. Dr. M. Jastrow, Sr., Simon A. Stern, Rev. Dr. B. Felsenthal, of Chicago; Miss Henrietta Syold, of Baltimore; Dr. Cyrus Adler, of Johns Hopkins University; Dr. A. S. Isaac, of New York, and Professor Charles Gross, of Harvard College. Herman S. Friedman, of this city, was chosen Treasurer, and Mr. Jacob Schiff, of New York; Mr. Leon N. Levi, of Galveston, Tex.; Mr. B. Bettman, of Cincinnati; Rev. Dr. G. Gottheil, of New York, Vice-Presidents. Letters from Mr. J. Hecht, of Boston, and Mr. Rosenthal, of Chicago, declining to serve on the Executive Committee were received, and Herman S. Friedman was chosen to fill one vacancy, while the other will remain vacant until the next meet-

The Publication Committee was empowered to draft rules for its government, and to report to the Executive Committee at the next meeting. These were appointed a Committee on Finance: Rev. Dr. Joseph Krauskopf, Morris Newberger, and Herman S. Friedman. A circular embodying the objects and history of the society will be issued by a committee having the matter in charge. Simon Wolf, of Washington, was intrusted with the formation of a general membership committee.

It is quite likely that work will soon be begun toward publishing some famous work in English which is now printed only in German and Hebrew

A LITERARY TRADE UNION.

From the N. Y. Sun.

A DISCUSSION of peculiar interest is maintained in "The Grievances of Authors and Publishers," a work recently imported. It is a report of the proceedings of the British Incorporated Society of Authors, and is made up chiefly of the remarks of the chairmen, followed by three more elaborate addresses, the first by Walter Besant, the second by Edmund Gosse, and the third by John Hollingshead. It contains also letters and papers by several other gentlemen, including one by George Haven Putnam, of this

The book reads not unlike a sublimated report of the Grievance Committee of a trade union. The society is in fact a literary protective association. Its membership includes a large number of names eminent in contemporary English literature. It is modelled somewhat on the idea of the Société des Gens de Lettres in France.

The address of Walter Besant was on "The Maintenance of Literary Property," and if all it charges is true the English publishers must be a pretty bad lot. Mr. Besant considers each of the four methods of publishing-where the publisher buys the book outright, where it is published on shares, where a royalty is given, and where it is published on commission. Under the first arrangement Mr. Besant thinks that an author will never be justly compensated for his work unless he holds ground of such peculiar advantage that he can refuse to part with the copyright on any terms a publisher would offer.

Under the method of an equal distribution of profits, Mr. Besant charges a great deal of open rascality on the part of the British publishers. In plain English, they falsify accounts and estimate higher than the actual expenditure will justify; and then they plead that it is not the practice of the trade to permit any auditing of accounts. This is a grave charge, but Mr. Putnam, who may be supposed to represent the publishers' side of the dispute, makes some suggestions which indicate that Mr. Besant may have been mistaken in his data. Mr. Besant obtained estimates on work from one printer for the purpose of learning what should be the charge for . similar work done by another printer, and though this seems fair, it may easily be made misleading. The work may not have been of precisely the same quality in both instances, and a little difference in the quality might make a very large difference in the cost. But if the figures of Mr. Besant are trustworthy, he makes a bad case against the publishers, and what is true in the half profit system he asserts to be equally true when a royalty is paid. Misrepresentation and fraud are to be found everywhere. Finally, if a publisher undertakes the publication of a book on commission, he cannot be expected to push the sale against the sale of books which he has undertaken on more advantageous terms. The English author, therefore, fares badly in any case in the view of Mr. Besant, and in the absence of international copyright with this country he is doubly in need of a protective organization to help him out.

But Mr. Besant has golden hopes for the future. He looks forward to the day, possibly during the lives of his children, but certainly during the lives of his grandchildren, when the earth will be half filled with English-speaking people, 50,000,000 in Great Britain, 200,000,000 in America, 100,000,000 in Australia, and 50,000,000 in New Zealand, all bound together under one copyright regulation. At the time when his vision is fulfilled he expects the authors to have all become their own coöperative publishers, and the nucleus of the great publishing house of the future will be found in this Incorporated Society of Authors. He seems to suspect that the head-

quarters will be finally in Chicago.

Following the address of Mr. Besant comes that of Edmund Gosse on the "Profession of Authorship." This deals rather with the mutual benefit character of the society than with its protective features. Mr. Gosse in the first place takes issue with the prevailing notion that there has been a great improvement in the circumstances of authors since the traditional days of Grub Street. He attributes the apparent improvement to the openings offered in journalism, and even goes so far as to deny, notwithstanding the title of his address, that there can be a strictly literary profession. He seems to believe that an author who tries to be exclusively an author at the present day will fare no better than the author of 100 years ago. In some respects he thinks that the living author will not fare even so well as his predecessor, for what he has gained in the broader public to which his works are addressed he has lost in the loss of the literary patron, a personage once powerful in the aid of struggling genius, but now entirely de-throned and banished. He believes, therefore, that authorship considered as a dependence, is just as precarious a pursuit as ever, and that authors stand in special need of cooperative organization and methods. But Mr. Gosse admits that it will be very difficult to draw the line between authors who are helpable and those who are not helpable. Of the latter class he gives an example in Samuel Boyse, a poet of the last century, who wrote a poem on Deity, and who, during a great part of his life, seemed to have been followed by a procession of dukes and countesses whose entire time was devoted to the task of helping him out of the gutter. He is described as a person who passed six weeks in bed because he had pawned everything that he possessed, and finally, when a subscription was undertaken for his benefit, he used the first money received for a dinner of truffles, off which he dined by thrusting his arm through the blanket. So afterward, on the encouragement offered by a commission to translate one of Fenelon's works, he married and took upon himself the responsibility of maintaining a family. Men of this kind are not helpable

in the opinion of Mr. Gosse.

Mr. Gosse does not believe that all successful authors are either impracticable or incapable. He seems to hold that authorship, if not now to be justly considered a profession, might be made a profession by coöperation among authors, and the adoption of methods that would give to men of talent the opportunities they merit. His indignation is roused not so much by the wicked publishers as by the wicked public with its im-

potent judgment.

The address of John Hollingshead on "Dramatic Rights and Property" is an attack on the English law of copyright. No English novelist at the time when the address was delivered held any dramatic right in his works, and Mr. Hollingshead tells of having once written a story in such form that it was ready for stage representation without any changes. But even in this form he had no right to control its representation. Mr. Hollingshead contends that authors are greatly damaged by stage adaptations of their works.

MEETING OF THE NATIONAL TYPO-THETÆ.

ARRANGEMENTS have been completed by the New York Typothetæ for the entertainment of the United Typothetæ of America, who meet at the Masonic Temple in New York City on Sept. 18. There will be a dinner at the Metropolitan Opera House, with provision for 350 guests. An excursion to Glen Island, including a clam-bake, and another up and down the Hudson, ending with an evening at Manhattan Beach and a view of the fireworks spectacle. Visits will be made to several printing offices and manufacturing establishments.

Among the subjects to be discussed are the cost of production, the true method of bookkeeping, a technical school for printing, the fraudulent importation of stereotype plates at less cost than proper rate of duty, the payment of fees by inkmakers and pressmakers to gain trade, the Chace copyright bill, and the cultivation of kindly

relations with workmen.

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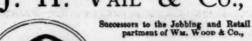
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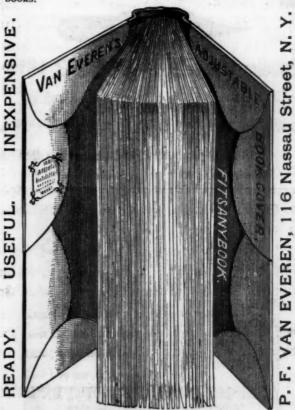
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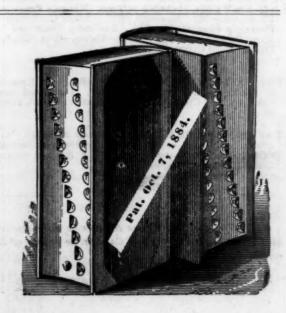


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